

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

Robert Jackson,

Plaintiff(s),

v.

Nevada Department of Corrections, *et al.*,

Defendant(s).

2:21-cv-01773-CDS-MDC

**DISCOVERY PLAN AND SCHEDULING  
ORDER**

Pursuant to Local Rule 16-1(b), “in actions by or on behalf of inmates under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 ...no discovery plan is required,” rather “a scheduling order [is] entered within thirty (30) days after the first defendant answers or otherwise appears.” Plaintiff is incarcerated. Defendant has filed an answer and a scheduling order has not yet been entered.

Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. Discovery: Pursuant to LR 16-1(b), discovery in this action shall be completed on or before **Monday, December 16, 2024.**
2. Any pleadings that may be brought under Fed. R. Civ. P. 13 & 14 or joining additional parties under Fed. R. Civ. P. 19 & 20, shall be filed and served not later than **Tuesday, September 17, 2024.** Any party causing additional parties to be joined or brought into this action shall contemporaneously therewith cause a copy of this Order to be served upon the new party or parties.
3. Amendments to pleadings as provided for under Fed. R. Civ. P. 15, if the same are allowed without leave of court, or motions for leave to amend, shall comply with LR 15-1 and shall be filed and served not later than **Tuesday, September 17, 2024.**

- 1 4. Expert disclosures shall be made on or before **Thursday, October 17, 2024**, and the
- 2 disclosures of rebuttal experts shall be made on or before **Monday, November 18, 2024**.
- 3 5. Dispositive motions shall be filed and served no later than **Wednesday, January 15, 2025**.
- 4 6. The joint pretrial order is due by **Friday, February 14, 2025**. If dispositive motions are
- 5 filed, the joint pretrial order is due thirty days from the entry of the court's rulings on the
- 6 motions or by further order of the court.
- 7 7. Extensions of discovery: Pursuant to LR 26-3, an extension of the discovery deadline will not
- 8 be allowed without a showing of good cause. All motions or stipulations to extend discovery
- 9 shall be received by the Court at least twenty-one days prior to the date fixed for completion
- 10 of discovery by this scheduling order, or at least twenty-one days prior to the expiration of
- 11 any extension that may have been approved by the Court. The motion or stipulation shall
- 12 include:
- 13 (a) A statement specifying the discovery completed;
- 14 (b) A specific description of the discovery that remains to be completed;
- 15 (c) The reasons why the deadline was not satisfied or the remaining discovery was
- 16 not completed within the time limits set by the discovery plan; and
- 17 (d) A proposed schedule for completing all remaining discovery.

18 It is so ordered.

19 Dated this 17th day of June 2024.

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22 Hon. Maximiliano D. Couvillier III  
23 United States Magistrate Judge  
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